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SOUTH I-25 CORRIDOR AND US 85 CORRIDOR
DOUGLAS COUNTY, COLORADO

FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT
SECTION 4(f) EVALUATION

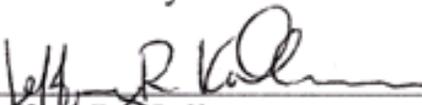
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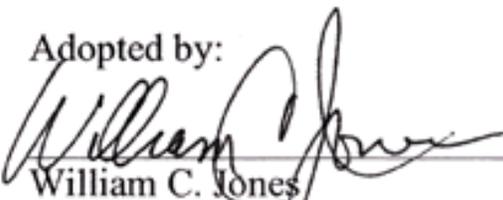
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ABSTRACT

This Final Environmental Impact Statement provides a detailed evaluation of the proposed improvements for the South I-25 Corridor and US 85 Corridor. The project corridors both lie within Douglas County, Colorado. The I-25 Corridor extends from C-470 at approximate milepost 195 to the southern limit of Castle Rock at approximate milepost 178 and the US 85 Corridor extends from C-470 at approximate milepost 200 to Castle Rock at approximate milepost 184. This Final Environmental Impact Statement includes an examination of the purpose and need, travel demand, alternatives under consideration, affected environment, environmental consequences, section 4(f) properties, and mitigation measures as a result of the proposed alternatives. Responses to the comments submitted for the Draft Environmental Impact Statement are included in Volume 2 of this Final Environmental Impact Statement.

Comments on this Final Environmental Impact Statement are due by June 11, 2001 and should be sent to Wes Goff, Colorado Department of Transportation at the address listed above.

Volume 2 and the technical reports are available for agency and public review at the following locations:

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